Erosion Control Checklist for Forestry

An erosion control checklist for forestry work. Use it to check soil protection on roads, trails, landings, and harvest areas during and after operations.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

ITEM	OK	FIX	N/A
Bare soil areas identified	☐	☐	☐
Water bars or dips installed	☐	☐	☐
Ditches stabilized	☐	☐	☐
Seed or mulch applied	☐	☐	☐
Silt barriers placed	☐	☐	☐
Stream buffers left intact	☐	☐	☐
Landing drainage checked	☐	☐	☐
Trails closed out properly	☐	☐	☐
Post-storm check done	☐	☐	☐

NOTES / REPAIRS NEEDED

TIP Walk the site right after the first heavy rain and fix any rills before they grow into gullies.

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